ABSTRACT OF DISCLOSURE

The present invention relates to a method for removing pollutants from aqueous photographic effluent containing silver in complexed form and (or) thiosulfates. This method comprises the steps of:

- a) adding to said aqueous photographic effluent at least one agent able
 to combine with the silver and (or) the thiosulfate and to form at
 least one compound of molecular weight M_π, and to form two
 phases, liquid and solid,
 - b) adjusting the pH to a value between 3 and 6.5, and
- 10 c) allowing the effluent to pass through a nanofiltration unit with a cutoff threshold lower than M_x .